

Range.	Padal at Rs. 5 per 100.	Manwel at Rs. 3 per 100.	Bundhi at Re. at 0-8-0 per cart.	Zhita at Re. 0-3-0 per cart.	Karvi (Strobilanthes) at Re. 0-4-0 per cart.	Total.
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Sálsette ... ..	55 10 0	55 11 6	11 4 0	5 7 0	58 4 0	186 4 6
Bassein ... ..	503 1 9	89 0 6	508 1 6	203 3 0	309 2 6	1,612 9 3
Máhim ... ..	97 11 6	339 9 0	841 0 0	245 10 0	34 0 0	1,554 14 6
Dáhanu ... ..	211 9 6	93 0 0	537 0 0	79 2 0	6 10 0	927 5 6
Umbargaon ... ..	...	0 7 0	65 0 0	36 6 0	25 8 0	127 5 0
Váda ... ..	54 4 3	220 15 6	197 1 6	12 15 0	...	485 4 3
Total ... ..	922 5 0	798 11 6	2,159 7 0	582 11 0	433 8 6	4,896 11 0

and for trade purposes the following quantities of bámbus were removed by contractors, who had purchased the right of removal by public competition :—

Range.	Number of Bámbus.	Rate per 100.	Receipts.
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Bassein ... ..	29,350	2 0 0	587 0 0
Máhim ... ..	70,360	{ 2 0 0 1 7 0	{ 1,225 12 3
Dáhanu ... ..	75,500	{ 2 11 6 2 0 0	{ 1,830 14 6
Váda ... ..	1,55,591	{ 2 8 0 2 2 0	{ 3,407 8 5
Total ... ..	3,30,801	...	7,051 3 2

132. Other minor produce, such as the leaves of apta (*Bauhinia racemosa*), temburni (*Diospyros montana*) for the manufacture of native cigarettes, and shembi bark for colouring fishing nets were removed by contractors, who paid Rs. 2,023 for the cigarette leaves and Rs. 305 for the bark.

#### SOUTH THA'NA DIVISION.

133. The Bombay Municipality purchased the timber standing upon two strips, of 1,000 feet and 500 feet respectively, below the dam of the Tánsa Lake for Rs. 7,100, and the timber upon a compartment within the bed of the lake was purchased by Messrs. Glover & Co., the lake contractors, for Rs. 4,800 at a rate of about Rs 40 per acre. Other purchases of trees standing upon lands which they and Messrs. Lovell, Mitchell and Co, the duct contractors of Tánsa, required to clear for the construction of their works, were made by the above-mentioned firms for Rs. 1,244. Of firewood 1,789 khandis were removed by purchasers, realising Rs. 955. Bámbus at the rate of Rs. 2-5-3 per 100 sold to contractors and by permit to villagers realised Rs. 5,162-4-0, while other minor produce produced Rs. 4,684-4-0 of revenue.

134. In the Khándesh divisions the permit system obtains, under which dead timber is removed at Rs. 4 per cart-load and 4 annas a head-load; fuel 4 annas per cart-load and charcoal at Re. 1 per cart; the collections appear in the statements attached to the report. The other minor produce receipts are large, and are made up chiefly by the proceeds of the contracts for the manufacture of rosha, or grass oil: 213 stills were working in the West Khándesh Division, and Rs. 7,250 were realised therefrom.

135. The transactions under the several sub-heads of receipts in the different divisions appear fully detailed in the appendices of this report, and there is nothing deserving notice here.

#### 3.—PRODUCE REMOVED BY RIGHT HOLDERS.

136. No rights, save of way and water access, have been found by the Forest Settlement Officers to attach to the forests of the Northern Circle, and right holders have no *locus standi* in any of the forests,